GAY SCENES AT JEFFERSON PARK

The Center of Social Life During the Horse

MANY AUTOMOBILE PARTIES

A Long List of Richmond Names Fill the Register.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

JEFFERSON PARK LOTEL, August
5.-Gradually the intellectual atmosphere

Petersburg; which surrounded the hotel during the land and family, School of Methods has dissolved, and curing the past week reached a culmination when intense interest in the Albemarie Horse Show dominated every other and for the time being everyone horse man or woman glibly disis on exhibition.

cussing the merits of specimens on exhibition.

David Duniop, of Petersburg, who had such a magnificent display of horse flesh, and who took so many honors at ...e. show, came over from Culpeper in his auto, bringing as his guests Mrs. J. L. Johnson and daughter, Miss Heien Johnson, of Culpeper. Miss Johnson is a remarkably handsome blonde, and was the recipient of much attention while here, both in Mr. Dunlop's box at the show, and at the Horse Show ball on Tuesday evening. On the latter occasion she was gewned in white organdy and carried a magnificent boliquet of lilles of the valley. During the show she wore the Dunlop colors—red and green. Her mother, almost as young as her daughter in tastes was also present on both occasions. At the ball she were black lace and diamonds, Mrs. Dr. J. P. Wall, of Petersburg, gowned in White, was another nember of their party.

burg, gowned in faith, and the hotel nember of their party.

Some of the young lauses from the hotel it attendance on the ball with their escorts were Miss Mabel McBain, in blue embroidered voile, with R. S. Bredin, of

Miss Mary Harwood, cream lace over atin, with Frank Elliott, of Charlottes

diss Helen Parrish, white point d'esprit, with Edgar Disney, of New York, Miss Mamle Collier, pink crepe de thine, with W. S. Humbert, of charlottes-

chine, with W. S. Humbert, withe, with Rogers Bickers, of Charlottesville. Miss Katherine Woodward, in white mult, with her son, Marye Woodward, charmingly chaperoned the party.

The german at the hotel on Thursday ovening was one of the most urilliant this season. H. Clay Michie, of Charlottesville, with Miss Martha Lambert, of Athena, led in his usual graceful manner. Among the most popular young ladies participating were Misses Edith Taylor, Dalsy Boykin, Heien Adams, Sherrard Willeox, Mabel McBain, Bessie Hunter, Mary Harwood, Mary Locke, Bena Philimary Harwood, Mary Locke, Bena Philipare Mary Locke, Bena Philipare Mary Locke, Bena Philipare Mary Locke, Bena Philipare Mary Harwood, Mary Locke, Bena Philipare Mary Harwood OX. Mary Locke, Bena Phil-Elste Phillips, Mamie Coiller, Datsy er, Aunie Williams and Louise

Atlantic City.
Mabel McBain, of Richmond, is dreamy blue eyes and wavy

McBain, Wirt E. Taylor, Mrs. S. W. Tompkins, Mrs. B. M. McCue, William Erskin Buford, A. S. Binford, Jr., It. Christian, Miss Annie Williams, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Massey, Mrs. R. T. Hunter, Miss Bessle Hunter, S. W. Tompkins, Miss Binford, Miss Nolting, W. M. Habiston, F. F., Nglting, Mary T. Chalmers, Katharine Robinson, Hugh Antrim.

AT PINE BEACH.

The New Resort is Proving Very Popular.

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PINE BEACH, VA., August 5.—This has been the gayest week at the hotel since the opening several weeks ago, the fair bringing a large number of guests from all over Virginia and North Carolina. There have been several social functions during the week and dancing nightly. Next Wednesday the second of the olaborate hops inaugurated with the opening will be given. The announcement that the hotel will be open all the year around has brought a number of appli-

HIGH-WATER MARK

A Week That Crowded the Capacity of the

ON THE UPPER JAMES

mers of this section made splendid crops

mers of this section made spiendid crops of wheat, which they have threshed, but they find that it is greatly damaged by the contined rain and dampness.

The cable across the river at this place has been thoroughly repaired, which is a great convenience to the citizens of Albemarle and Buckingham counters.

Mrs. J. C. Turner will spend the month of August with her mother at Pendleton,

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THE NATURAL BRIDGE GUESTS AS EXPLORERS

They Discover a New Lane and Find Wonders-Gay Pleasures.

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NATURAL BRIDGE, VA., Aug. 5.—The closing days of July liave brought many girts, in the form of pleasures to the Bridge; notine did they carry them away, for an exploring party under the chapronage of Prof. Pinckel, made a tour to Buck's Mountain inwhich, is an undeveloped cave. This cave is about one mile from the Bridge. Torches were given to each one as they entered the cuto. They walked many hundred of feet through a narrow passage way till they came to a large opening, which ushered them into quite a large room, in which was a clear pond of sparkling water, cool, delicious and refreshing. They wound their way through the cave, coming out on the opposite side. All who enjoy a side and a climb were delighted with the trip.

CAPE HENRY.

Famous Canoeists Guests at the Cape-A Rolling Sea.

their many friends will watch their their with interest.

Mr. Charles O'Neil, of Washlagton, has been on a visit to his brother. Captain James O'Neil, of the Baltimore Pilot Arsociaton, and now statoned off the Captain was the control of the Captain of the Capt

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POEMS YOU OUGHT TO KNOW

Whatever your occupation may be, and however crowded your hours with affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.—Professor Charles Eliot Norton.

WHAT LOVERS SAY.

By F. W. LORING.

HEN visions of her face come o'er me, I say what lovers said before me, What lovers will forever say: flowers bloom sweeter for her being, That birds sing sweeter for her seeing, That grass is greener, skies more blue, That all things take a richer hue. Lovers have said these things before:

O sweet young love, that in all ages Bears ever one eternal form! With lasting youth your oldest pages Glow ever, ever, fresh and warm, O dear old story ever young! Poets have painted, artists sung: Sure, naught in life is half so sweet: Death cannot make you incomplete. Lovers have said these things before; Lovers will say them evermore.

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AFTON IS GAY.

Euchre Attracts Lively Party to the Afton House.

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AFTON, VA., August 5.—The most enjoyable feature of the week's entertainment was the ouchre party given at the Afton House on Wednesday evening by Mrs. Bright Mrs. Brigh

Afton House on Wednesday evening by Mr. Zimmerman, of Washington, D. C. After a most interesting game, punch was served by Miss and Mrs. Zimmerman. 'The ladies' prize was won by Mrs. Geo. H. Lumsden, of Richmond; Mr. Jno. C.

Goodloe won the gentlemen's prize.

Every train this week has brought numbers of guests until the hotel and atterboarding places are filled to overfrowing. The Afton House was enlarged for this season, but it is not yet large enough to accommodate the many people who wish

Miss Mary States And Miss Margaret Helin attended the Charlottesville House are Mrs. Josic Maddox, Mr. Cove Maddox, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Denoon, Mrs. and Miss Fensom, of Richmond; Miss Sadie White, Washington, and Miss Davis, Lynn, Mass.

Mrs. Ezekiel Hall and Miss Margaret Helin attended the Charlottesville Horse Show this week.

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